



General Assembly

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Raised Bill No. 869

LCO No. 3059



Referred to Committee on HIGHER EDUCATION AND
EMPLOYMENT ADVANCEMENT

Introduced by:
(HED)

***AN ACT CONCERNING THE STUDENT ADVISORY COMMITTEE TO
THE BOARD OF REGENTS FOR HIGHER EDUCATION.***

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General
Assembly convened:

1 Section 1. Subsection (c) of section 10a-3 of the general statutes is
2 repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective July*
3 *1, 2013*):

4 (c) The committee shall, on a rotating basis among its members and
5 by a consensus vote of all its members, elect its own [chairperson and
6 vice-chairperson] cochairpersons, one of whom shall be a member
7 from the Connecticut State University System or Charter Oak State
8 College and the other of whom shall be a member from the regional
9 community-technical colleges, and such other officers as it deems
10 necessary, to serve for a term of two years. The committee shall be
11 deemed to be a public agency within the scope of the Freedom of
12 Information Act, as defined in section 1-200, and shall keep such
13 records as may be appropriate.

14 Sec. 2. Section 10a-3 of the general statutes is amended by adding
15 subsection (e) as follows (*Effective July 1, 2014*):

16 (NEW) (e) Beginning on January 1, 2014, and annually thereafter,
17 the committee shall report to the joint standing committees of the
18 General Assembly having cognizance of matters relating to higher
19 education and appropriations, in accordance with the provisions of
20 section 11-4a, regarding the performance of its statutory functions and
21 its biannual meetings with the Board of Regents for Higher Education.

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| This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections: | | |
| Section 1 | <i>July 1, 2013</i> | 10a-3(c) |
| Sec. 2 | <i>July 1, 2014</i> | 10a-3 |

Statement of Purpose:

To change the makeup of the student advisory committee by making the chairperson and vice-chairperson cochairpersons and adding Charter Oak State College as an alternate school for one of the cochairpersons and require the committee to report to the joint standing committees of the General Assembly having cognizance of matters relating to higher education and appropriations regarding its work.

[Proposed deletions are enclosed in brackets. Proposed additions are indicated by underline, except that when the entire text of a bill or resolution or a section of a bill or resolution is new, it is not underlined.]